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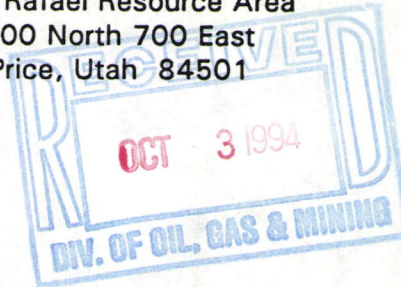
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Phillip M. Palmer
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Dear Mr. Palmer:

We have received and reviewed your plan amendment for your gypsum mine on the BJ mining claim group in Emery County and determined that the amendment is incomplete. We require the following information:

1. The legal description is apparently incorrect. The BJ #2 claim is in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, of section 29, not in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the SW $\frac{1}{4}$.
2. The described work areas include claims BJ #5, 6, 9, and 10, which are not included in the amendment. Area C includes an unclaimed portion in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 29 and portions of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 30. The mining claims and legal description should correspond with the areas proposed for development. Areas should be included in reclamation or development section. If you are only amending the plan of operations to include an enlarged area for Area A, then mention of Areas B and C should be dropped from the plan amendment.
3. A map showing sequential development and reclamation with dates needs to be included. We have enclosed an example. The development and reclamation can be shown on separate maps if a single map would be too cluttered in showing both.
4. A list of equipment being used should be included in the amendment.
5. The proposed annual production or a range of production should also be included.
6. The average number of truck trips on a daily or weekly schedule is needed, as is the number of workers employed in both mining and transportation.
7. Our records indicate that John Welsh resides in Holladay, not Salt Lake City. Also, there is no zip code for Mr. Welsh's address.
8. If Areas B and C are to be included in the amendment, then access to these areas needs to be described and shown on a map. The location and method of crossing South Salt Wash is also needed.

9. If any trees are to be disturbed or destroyed due to mining operations, proposed disposal methods and location of the trees should be included. This would apply primarily to Area C.

Sincerely,

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Area Manager

Enclosure
Map

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